

Table 12. California Workers' Compensation Claims: Subsequent Report of Injury (SROI), Indemnity, by Month of Injury, 2000-2008

MONTH	Y2000	Y2001	Y2002	Y2003	Y2004	Y2005	Y2006	Y2007	Y2008	TOTAL
JANUARY	633	17,043	16,741	17,581	14,795	12,603	11,826	10,920	9,017	111,159
FEBRUARY	738	15,430	15,599	15,529	13,726	11,542	10,947	9,621	8,719	101,851
MARCH	2,867	17,527	16,916	17,039	16,459	12,936	12,364	11,226	9,053	116,387
APRIL	2,742	16,839	17,984	16,981	15,037	12,412	11,088	10,424	9,112	112,619
MAY	3,163	18,352	18,358	17,559	14,555	12,569	12,166	10,861	9,161	116,744
JUNE	4,009	18,167	17,373	17,781	15,144	13,330	12,259	10,657	9,193	117,913
JULY	15,419	18,285	18,392	18,303	15,052	13,087	11,644	10,919	8,978	130,079
AUGUST	17,627	19,234	18,455	17,550	15,556	14,102	12,388	11,441	8,650	135,003
SEPTEMBER	16,232	16,441	17,769	17,655	14,636	12,723	10,874	10,258	8,205	124,793
OCTOBER	16,995	18,330	18,408	17,164	13,595	12,716	10,436	10,445	7,773	125,862
NOVEMBER	14,410	15,242	15,128	13,174	11,892	11,184	9,388	8,865	5,788	105,071
DECEMBER	13,819	13,866	14,385	13,433	11,651	10,537	9,284	7,736	5,651	100,362
TOTAL REPORTED INDEMNITY	108,654	204,756	205,508	199,749	172,098	149,741	134,664	123,373	99,300	1,397,843

Subsequent Report of Injury (SROI), Indemnity--These claims are defined as those with the following benefit type codes (DN 85 - Payment/Adjustment):

- **Specific Permanent Disability (PD) Claims**--Permanent Total (020), Permanent Total Supplemental (021), Permanent Partial Scheduled (030), *Permanent Partial Unscheduled (040)*, Permanent Partial Disfigurement (090), and Fatal (010);
- **Specific Temporary Disability (TD) Claims**--Temporary Total (050), *Temporary Total Catastrophic (051)*, Temporary Partial (070), *Employers Liability (080)*, Employer Paid (240), *Vocational Rehabilitation Maintenance (410)*; and
- **Compromised Indemnity Claims**--Unspecified (500), Fatal (510), Permanent Total (520), Permanent Total Supplemental (521), Employer Paid (524), Permanent Partial Scheduled (530), *Permanent Partial Unscheduled (540)*, *Vocational Rehabilitation Maintenance (541)*, Temporary Total (550), *Temporary Total Catastrophic (551)*, Temporary Partial (570), *Employers Liability (580)*, and Permanent Partial Disfigurement (590).
- **NOTE**--The italicized codes included in the lists above should no longer be sent to the WCIS. Examples are: *Temporary Total Catastrophic (051) and (551)*; *Employers Liability (080) and (580)*; *As of 1/1/2005, Partial Unscheduled (040) and (540)*; *As of 1/1/2009, Vocational Rehabilitation Maintenance (410) and (541)*.

SROI Indemnity, No Medical--These indemnity claim counts (Table 12a) exclude those with medical claims and denied claims, and include claims with benefit payments (\$ > 0).

SROI Indemnity, With Medical--These indemnity claim counts (Table 12b) include those claims with benefit payments (\$ > 0) and with medical costs, and exclude denials defined under Table 13.

A significant amount of variation across years results from noncompliance and late reporting of claims. DWC believes that its database is representative of claims in California's workers' compensation (WC) industry.

Source: WCIS Database, 5 May 2009